

FISCAL NOTE

SB 461 - HB 1087

February 19, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Changes the law requiring a certificate of need requirement for relocation of a home health agency to refer to home care organizations. Current Health Services and Development Agency rules exempt the relocation of a home office from this requirement. The bill also exempts home care organizations providing only professional support services from the Certificate of Need process.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Expenditures - Not Significant

Decrease State Revenues - Not Significant

Estimate assumes some loss of fees involved in the certification process and some reduction of expenditures from a reduction in the number of certificates of need applications.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James A. Davenport".

James A. Davenport, Executive Director